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DEVICE AND METHOD FOR  
SETTING UP A CONTROL  
SYSTEM

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Please amend the accompanying verified translation of the German language text of PCT/DE2003/004099, filed December 11, 2003; published as WO 2004/055609 A2 and A3 on July 1, 2004, and claiming priority to DE 102 58 704.3 filed December 16, 2002 and to DE 103 17 065.0 filed April 14, 2003, the verified translation forming the entire specification, and claims of the subject U.S. patent application, as filed, prior to the calculation of the filing fee and prior to an examination of the application on the merits, as follows.